





# Demigewasset Woman's Club

Plymouth, New Hampshire



## Twelfth Year, 1908-1909



ORGANIZED JUNE 26, 1897



ENTERED NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE FEDERATION JULY 3, 1897



BECAME LIFE MEMBER OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF NEW  
HAMPSHIRE FORESTS FEBRUARY 16, 1903



BECAME ANNUAL SUBSCRIBER TO THE EMILY BALCH COTTAGE HOSPITAL  
DECEMBER 18, 1905



ENTERED THE GENERAL FEDERATION WOMAN'S CLUBS 1907



BECAME ANNUAL MEMBER OF CONFERENCE OF STATE CHARITIES AND  
CORRECTIONS MAY 1908



Club Colors, Violet and Green



## Unity in Diversity

IN GREAT THINGS UNITY  
IN SMALL THINGS LIBERTY  
IN ALL THINGS CHARITY

## Officers

President.	MRS. MAUDE C. BELL
First Vice President,	MRS. EFFIE K. GORE
Second Vice President,	MRS. MINNIE E. CHASE
Corresponding Secretary,	MRS. HATTIE C. DRAPER
Recording Secretary,	MRS. GRACE P. JOHNSON
Treasurer,	MRS. LILLIAN AYER

### Executive Committee

Term expires 1909

MRS. EMMA M. FOSS	MISS BLANCHE A. GOULD
	MISS LAURA B. McLEAN

Term expires 1910

MISS LUCY S. BRACKETT	MRS. MARY D. WILSON
	MRS. MARIE HODGE

### Lecture Committee

MRS. RUTH McC. CHASE  
MISS BESSIE FOX  
MISS ETHEL WHEELER  
MRS. KATE E. SMITH

### Social Committee

MRS. SADIE BROWNE  
MRS. STELLA F. MILLIGAN  
MISS MARY E. DRAPER  
MISS REGINA L. BROWN  
MRS. CARRIE K. PETERS



## Lecture Course

1908

October Nineteenth

VILLAGE SINGERS—CONCERT COMPANY

November Seventeenth

ORATORIO ARTISTS—CONCERT COMPANY

December Fifteenth

WILLIAM G. WARD—LECTURER

1909

January Twenty-Eighth

DR. THOMAS E. GREEN—LECTURER

February Twenty-Third

POPULAR STARS—CONCERT COMPANY

March Twelfth

DR. ROLAND GRANT—LECTURER

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## Club Lectures

1908

October Twenty-Sixth

Porto Rico

MISS ETHEL WHEELER, teacher of Elocution  
State Normal School, Plymouth, N. H.

November Sixteenth

The Prevention, Control and Cure of Tuberculosis  
MISS MABEL L. GREELEY, Gen. Secretary, Anti-  
Tuberculosis Association, Cambridge, Mass.

December Twenty-First

Philippines

LIEUT. GEO. M. RUSSELL, 15th U. S. Cavalry,  
West Point, N. Y.

1909

January Fourth

First Impressions of English Life

REV. CLINTON W. WILSON, pastor Congrega-  
tional church, Plymouth, N. H.

April Twenty-Sixth

Hawaii and Alaska

DR. CYRUS RICHARDSON, pastor First Congre-  
gational church, Nashua, N. H.

March Fifteenth

A Fortnight in the Tyrolean Alps

MISS SUSAN C. RUSSELL

In and About the Cheshire Cheese

MISS S. THORNDIKE KENISTON

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## Miscellaneous Program

"And only the Master shall praise us,  
And only the Master shall blame,  
And no one shall work for money,  
And no one shall work for fame.

But each for the joy of the working,  
And each in his separate star,  
Shall draw the things as he sees them,  
For the God of the things that are."

*Rudyard Kipling.*

## Calendar

1908

**OCTOBER Fifth** Hostess, MRS. JENNIE J. WEBSTER  
Piano Solo Miss Bessie Fox  
Report of Annual Federation Meeting Mrs. Emma Foss  
Report of Field Meeting Mrs. Etta F. Maynard  
Song Miss Lucy S. Brackett  
Resume of Biennial Misses Fox, Russell and McLean  
**Club Tea**

**OCTOBER Nineteenth** Our New Possessions

### Porto Rico

The Island Mrs. Blanche M. Wentworth  
Value to United States Mrs. Blanche B. Porter  
Music  
History Mrs. Harriet W. Worthen

**OCTOBER Twenty-sixth**

Lecture, Porto Rico Miss Ethel Wheeler

**NOVEMBER Second** Hostess, MRS. ADA E. KENISTON

### Timely Topics

"Our mental attitude today, determines our success tomorrow"

Emmanuel Church Movement

Miss Caroline W. Mudgett

The Temperance Movement

Mrs. Martha W. Currier

Music

Millions for Education

Mrs. Effie K. Gore



**NOVEMBER Sixteenth**

Hostess, MRS. ELLA S. BRACKETT  
**Philanthropy**

"Good health and good sense are two of life's greatest blessings"

Piano Solo	Mrs. Lena A. Dorion
Current Events	
Address "The Prevention, Control and Cure of Tuberculosis"	Miss Mabel L. Greeley
Reading	Miss Ethel Wheeler
Sale of Home-made Candy	

**DECEMBER Seventh**

Hostess, MRS. HATTIE C. DRAPER

**Our New Possessions—The Philippines**

"The sprinkled isles, lily on lily, that o'er-lace the sea"

The Far-away Islands	Mrs. Clara Rogers
Commerce	Miss Florence Stacey
Recitation	Mrs. Daisy W. Crittenden
People and Institutions	Miss Maude Starling
Club Tea	

**DECEMBER Twenty-first Philippines**

Music	
Song	Miss Margaret Burleigh
Lecture	Lieut. George Moor Russell

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**JANUARY Fourth Travel**

Current Events	Mrs. S. Katherine Adams
Music	Scherzo Club
Lecture, First Impressions of English Life	Rev. Clinton W. Wilson

**JANUARY Eighteenth Art**

"Art, the one way possible of speaking truth"

Modern American Art  
Program to be in charge of Miss Laura B. McLean

**FEBRUARY First Literature**

"Literature is the thought of thinking souls"

American Scientific Writers	Mrs. Elvira P. Burleigh
Mars—from Prof. Lowell's Standpoint	Miss Grace E. Bird

Music  
Dr. Quackenbos's "Hypnotic Therapeutics"  
Mrs. Amelia P. Smythe

**FEBRUARY Third Annual Reception**

"No profit grows where is no pleasure ta'en"

**FEBRUARY Fifteenth Hostess, MRS. LILLIAN AYER  
Our New Possessions—Hawaii**

History	Miss Martha F. Hazelton
Sugar and Other Products	Mrs. Flora Rogers
Piano Solo	Miss Flora A. Cook
Honolulu	Mrs. Harriet Pike



**MARCH First      Forestry and Ornithology**

"Our friends the trees"

**The Pine**

Botanical Research      Mrs. Annie E. O. Falknor

Commercial and Medicinal Value

Mrs. Annie L. Dolloff

**The Woodpecker**

Miss Mary Mudgett

**MARCH Fifteenth      Hostess, MISS SUSAN C. RUSSELL**  
**Travel**

"We live not to ourselves; our work is life"

**Current Events**

**A Fortnight in the Tyrolean Alps**

Miss Susan C. Russell

**Music**

**In and About the Cheshire Cheese**

Miss S. Thorndike Keniston

**Club Tea**

**APRIL Fifth      Our New Possessions—Alaska**

**Physical Features**

Miss Frances H. Smith

**Towns, Settlements and Missions**

Mrs. Etta F. Maynard

**Music**

**Gold**

Miss Mary E. Draper

**APRIL Nineteenth      Annual Meeting**

"Despatch is the soul of business"

**Reports**

**Election of Officers**

**APRIL Twenty-sixth**

**Song**

Miss Wilhelmina Keniston

**Lecture, Hawaii and Alaska**

Dr. Cyrus Richardson

**MAY Third      Civics—Village Improvements**

**Aesthetic**

Mrs. Lavinia E. Foss

**Sanitary**

Mrs. Livonia M. Houston

**Recitation**

Mrs. Daisy W. Crittenden

**Ethical**

Mrs. Anna M. Tenney

**General Discussion**

**MAY Seventeenth      Hostess, MRS. ETTA F. MAYNARD**  
**Household Economics**

**Roll Call**

Hints and Helps

**Reports of Officers**

**Pure Foods**

Mrs. Maude Robinson

**Demonstration of Favorite Receipts**

**MAY      Children's Day**

"Oh what would the world be to us if the children were no more"



## Members of Club

Signature	Address
Adams, S. Katherine	Mrs. George H. Adams
Ayer, Lillian	Mrs. Charles J. Ayer
Balch, Katherine H.	Miss Balch
Balch, Josephine	Mrs. Stephen E. Balch
Barnes, Edith	Miss Barnes
Bell, Maude C.	Mrs. Ernest L. Bell
Bird, Grace E.	Miss Bird
Bowles, Loretta S.	Mrs. Alden Bowles
Brackett, Ella S.	Mrs. William R. Brackett
Brackett, Lucy S.	Miss Brackett
Brown, Regina L.	Miss Brown
Browne, Sadie	Mrs. Alfred R. Browne
Bulmer, Ida	Miss Bulmer
Burke, Alice	Miss Burke
Burleigh, Elvira P.	Mrs. Alvin Burleigh
Chase, Minnie E.	Mrs. Irving H. Chase
Chase, Ruth McC.	Mrs. Edward A. Chase
Crittenden, Daisy W.	Mrs. Bert A. Crittenden
Currier, Martha W.	Mrs. Daniel Currier
Dodge, Olive J.	Miss Dodge
Dolloff, Annie L.	Mrs. George W. Dolloff
Draper, Hattie C.	Mrs. Jason F. Draper
Draper, Mary E.	Miss Draper
Falknor, Annie E. O.	Mrs. Clark Falknor
Fellows, Jennie M.	Mrs. Chauncey Fellows
Fellows, Lyle	Miss Fellows
Foss, Emma M.	Mrs. William J. Foss
Foss, Lavinia E.	Mrs. George Foss
Fox, Bessie	Miss Fox
Gore, Effie K.	Mrs. Moody P. Gore
Gould, Bessie	Miss Bessie Gould
Gould, Blanche A.	Miss Gould
Hardy, Maude R.	Mrs. Ernest Hardy

Signature	Address
Hazelton, Martha F.	Miss Hazelton
Hawkins, Lucretia	Mrs. Cortez Hawkins
Hodge, Marie	Mrs. Elliott B. Hodge
Houston, Livonia M.	Mrs. Alvin Houston
Houston, Mary E.	Miss Houston
Johnson, Grace P.	Mrs. Harry Johnson
Kathan, Florence A.	Miss Kathan
Keniston, Ada E.	Mrs. Davis B. Keniston
Keniston, S. Thorndike	Miss Keniston
Klock, Margaret	Mrs. James E. Klock
Lamson, Giffa	Mrs. Herbert H. Lamson
Maynard, Etta F.	Mrs. John F. Maynard
McClure, H. Angie	Mrs. Andrew J. McClure
McLean, Laura B.	Miss McLean
Milligan, Stella F.	Mrs. Charles S. Milligan
Mitchell, Alice J.	Mrs. J. Lewis Mitchell
Morse, Sarah	Mrs. Carl M. Morse
Mudgett, Caroline W.	Miss Mudgett
Mudgett, Mary L.	Miss Mary Mudgett
Palmer, Lucy J.	Mrs. Haven Palmer
Pattee, Esther	Mrs. Richard Pattee
Peters, Carrie K.	Mrs. J. William Peters
Pierce, Verne	Mrs. Harry A. Pierce
Pike, Harriet	Mrs. Edwin B. Pike
*Rogers, Abbie F.	Mrs. Tristram Rogers
Rogers, Addie S.	Mrs. Hamilton A. Rogers
Rogers, Clara	Mrs. Henry W. Rogers
Rogers, Flora	Mrs. William Rogers
Robinson, Nellie	Mrs. George Robinson
Robinson, Maude	Mrs. Robinson
Russell, Susan C.	Miss Russell
Sanborn, Julia R.	Mrs. Edward H. Sanborn
Smith, Frances H.	Miss Smith
Smith, Kate E.	Mrs. Edric Smith
Smythe, Amelia P.	Mrs. Rodney E. Smythe
Starling, Maude	Miss Starling



**Signature**

Stacey, Florence  
Tenney, Anna M.  
Viles, Elizabeth A.  
Wallace, Grace S.  
Webster, Jennie J.  
Weeks, Bertha E.  
Wentworth, Blanche M.  
Wheeler, Celia  
Wheeler, Ethel  
Worthen, Harriet W.  
Wilson, Mary D.  
Wright, Mira A.  
\* Deceased.

**Address**

Miss Stacey  
Mrs. David Tenney  
Miss Viles  
Mrs. Charles L. Wallace  
Mrs. Lorin Webster  
Mrs. Scott Weeks  
Mrs. Alvin F. Wentworth  
Mrs. John Wheeler  
Miss Wheeler  
Mrs. E. Mark Worthen  
Mrs. Clinton W. Wilson  
Mrs. Charles C. Wright

**In Memoriam**

**MRS. ABBIE S. ROGERS**

**MRS. ELIZABETH DODGE PARK**



# Constitution

## ARTICLE I. NAME

This club shall be known as the Pemigewasset Woman's Club.

## ARTICLE II. OBJECT

The object of this club shall be to broaden and strengthen the moral, social, and intellectual life of its members, and through them to make itself a power for good in the community.

## ARTICLE III. OFFICERS

SEC. 1. The officers of this club shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, and an Executive Committee to consist of six members.

SEC. 2. The officers of the club, with the exception of the Executive Committee, shall be elected at each annual meeting by ballot and a major vote. Three new members of the Executive Committee shall be elected for a term of two years at each annual meeting by ballot and a major vote.

SEC. 3. Officers shall not be eligible to re-election to the same office for more than two consecutive years.

SEC. 4. At the first meeting in March, a committee of three shall be appointed by the chair, who shall report at the first meeting in April a list of nominations for the election at the annual meeting.

## AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V. OF THE CONSTITUTION

The annual due for one year or any part of a year shall be one dollar with the additional amount of twenty-five cents for social due. The financial year shall begin at the close of the club year, when the annual and social fee shall become due.



## By-Laws

### ARTICLE I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

SEC. 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the club and shall perform the other duties usually belonging to this office. She shall also cast the deciding vote in case of a tie in the Executive Committee. In her absence, it shall be the duty of the Vice-Presidents, in their order, to preside at any meeting.

SEC. 2. The Recording Secretary shall keep a correct record of the attendance, and of the proceedings of all meetings of the club. At the last meeting in May she shall present a written report of the year's work.

SEC. 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the club; notify all persons elected to office, making a statement of the duties connected therewith; give notice to those appointed on committees and elected to membership, and notify all members of special meetings.

SEC. 4. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys and pay them out on a written order of a majority vote of the Executive Committee, all bills payable for a sum exceeding five dollars having been submitted to the club. At the last meeting in May she shall present a written report of all moneys received and paid out by her,

SEC. 5. The Executive Committee shall be intrusted with all business and interests of the club, in the in-

terim of its meeting and with the appointment of sub-committees. They shall have the right to order the payment of any bill not exceeding five dollars without submitting it to the club. They shall have the power to fill all vacancies which may occur during the year.

### ARTICLE II. MEETINGS

SEC. 1. The regular meetings of the club shall be held the first and third Mondays of each month, from October to May inclusive, at such hours and places as shall be agreed upon.

SEC. 2. The last regular meeting in the month of April shall be the meeting for the annual election of officers, who shall assume their duties at the close of the year. The incoming President shall be the President to attend the annual meeting of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs. The report for the year shall be read at the last meeting in May.

SEC. 3. Special meetings may be called by the President or acting President or on request of three members of the club, at least twenty-four hours' notice being given.

### ARTICLE III. QUORUM

Five members shall constitute a quorum.

### ARTICLE IV. WITHDRAWAL

SEC. 1. A member wishing to withdraw from the club shall send a written resignation to the Secretary that her name may be taken from the list of members.



Sec. 2. Any member who fails to pay the annual fee before the first of November shall be dropped from the rolls as having voluntarily withdrawn from the club.

#### ARTICLE V. VISITORS

Members may bring guests, who shall be admitted by ticket, to any regular meeting, except the annual meeting. Tickets may be obtained of the Treasurer by members only, on payment of ten cents for each ticket. These tickets are to be procured within two weeks of the date for which they are to be used. The same woman, residing in town, shall not be invited as a guest more than once a year.

#### ARTICLE VI. CONDUCT OF MEETINGS

All meetings shall be conducted by the rules of parliamentary Law, the "Woman's Manual of Parliamentary Law" being the authority.

#### ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS

These by-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any meeting, notice of such intention having been given at a previous regular meeting.

#### ARTICLE VIII. SUSPENSION OF BY-LAWS

Any article of the by-laws may be suspended by a two-thirds vote of the members present, for not more than one meeting, excepting this article, which shall not be suspended.



